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2019 Schedule of Meetings:

Aug. 7th, Sept. 4th, Oct. 2nd, Nov. 6th, and Dec. 4th. No meetings January and February.

Doors open at 6:00 p.m., meeting starts 7 p.m., at the Rockwood Public Library (inside Eramosa Community Centre) at 85 Christie Street (near corner Christie Street and Main Street North Wellington Road 27, Rockwood, On. N0B 2K0.

2019 Annual Membership Fee:

Regular \$10

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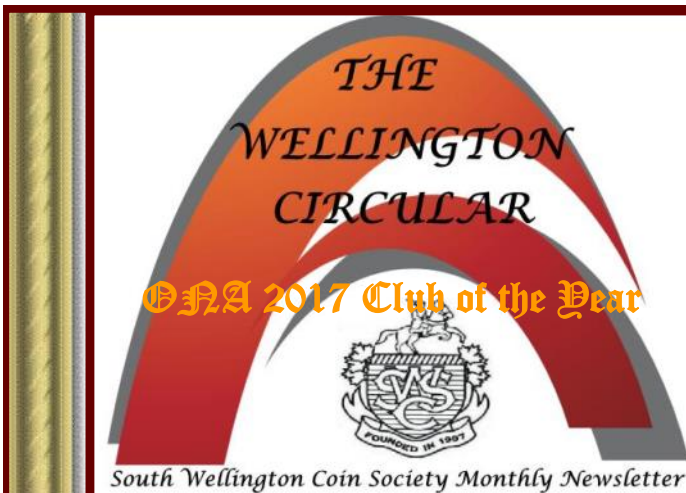
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NEXT MEETING DATE:
WEDNESDAY,
AUGUST 7TH, 2019
DOORS OPEN 6 P.M.
MEETING STARTS
****7 P.M.****

THEME:
Banknotes Resulting
from China's Belt &
Road Initiative

IMPORTANT MESSAGE

Our next meeting is **Wednesday, August 7th, 2019, AT **7 P.M.** (DOORS OPEN 6 P.M.)!** We are pleased to have SWCS Vice President **Mike Hollingshead** who will give the presentation **World Banknotes Featuring Architectural Achievements Resulting From China's Belt and Road Initiative**. Mike shares, "Headlines every day announce yet another foreign trade treaty torn up by the United States President Donald Trump. Other headlines announce a slew of new trade treaties signed by China and other world nations. Looking more to me like the real champion of 'The Art of the Deal' is China, not Mr Trump. It's been five years since Chinese President Xi Jinping proposed the *Belt and Road Initiative*."

In the autumn of 2013, in Kazakhstan and Indonesia, Xi proposed the building of the Silk Road Economic Belt and the 21st-Century Maritime Silk Road – the *Belt and Road Initiative* (BRI) for short. Five years have passed, China's trade with the countries involved has exceeded 5 trillion US dollars and outward direct investment has amounted to over 60 billion dollars, creating over 200,000 local jobs. Speaking of the role that the *Belt and Road Initiative* has played in the past five years, particularly as unilateralism seems to be rising, Li Yong, a senior fellow from the China Association of International Trade, said that the Initiative has injected new impetus into global development. Li summed it up into 'ENRICH.'

Li explained that 'ENRICH', as a single word, it represents the BRI enriching the world with a lot of possibilities. And as an acronym, Li added, 'E' represents economic well-being: The initiative has improved the economic well-being as well as the economic expectations on the basis of the community of shared future for mankind. 'N' represents new opportunities and new areas, because one country itself cannot explore; 'R' stands for re-injection of new development plans: *Belt and Road* can revitalize some of the initiatives with local governments. 'I' means investment, infrastructure, industrialization and innovation. 'C', of course, for connectivity; and 'H' for a harmonious relationship. The concept of 'extensive consultation, joint contribution and shared benefits' upheld by the BRI has gained wide recognition in the global arena, which has shown a promising future.

Looking forward to the next five years, Li also summed it up into a word, which is 'GROW.' He clarified that as a word, China is going to grow its engagement and the relationship with the countries involved under the *Initiative*. And as an acronym, Li added, 'G' represents the global participation on the major projects; 'R' stands for reshaping of the economic and trade relations into more open, more inclusive and freer ones. 'O' is open opportunities for everyone that opens to the initiative; and 'W' represents the world, a better world, which is peaceful, inclusive and innovative. [reprinted from CGTN website 30-Aug-2018 Asia Today] My presentation is one I was encouraged to put together in the spirit of cooperation among nations and the numismatic proof of that ethic. Featured will be a half dozen or so banknotes from around the world that proudly display the joint ventures."

Bring along a friend or two to our next SWCS meeting, enjoy free refreshments and smiles, share the FUN and LAUGHTER with an ONA Club of the Year!



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in 1997



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This medal was issued 2015.



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SWCS EXECUTIVE

Term of Office: **July 1, 2018—June 30, 2021 (3 yrs)**

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(includes flyers, other club notices, newsletters since Oct 5 2011, public website liaison, private website webmaster) Newsletter / Flyer Distribution: **Linda Blair**

Other Non-Elected IMPORTANT Club Roles

ALL Multi-Media Needs & Photographer: **John Semedo**

ALL Draws and Membership Meeting Notes: **John Semedo** and **Mike Hollingshead**

Show Bourse: **Mike Hollingshead** and **Lowell Wierstra**
Social Media Show Advertising: **Andrew Fedora**

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Auctioneers: **Mike Hollingshead** and **Scott Douglas**
Auction Runners: available executive and other members.

“Giving Back to Community” Liaison:
Heather Hoddinott

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Mel Brown and **Charles Turton**

Meeting Room Set-up and Clean-up:
All members present



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Club Report BY MIKE HOLLINGSHEAD (photos courtesy of John Semedo)

July 3rd, 2019 Membership Meeting:

Monthly Attendance Draw: YN **Ethan** assisted with the name pick for our draw which was for \$5 following a win last month by Lance Tribble. Ethan picked **Matt McNeal** who was not in attendance, so our August draw rises to \$10. All you have to do to be a winner is be in attendance, so be there or be square.

King Arthur's Treasure: Ethan once again picked our winner's name for the KAT containing an 86 item equivalent. The winner was new member **Ken Nicoll** who is now set up with KAT items for the balance of the year. Remember to bring your foreign spares for the KAT draw, 5 items of anything numismatic or a Loonie if you forgot to rustle up the items.



Daytona Draw: Due to a family medical emergency, **Scott Douglas** was unable to attend our meeting so the Daytona envelopes were likewise not in attendance. The executive present made a decision to award the entire take of Daytona loot to the first name drawn. Lightning struck twice at July's meeting as **Ken Nicoll** was luck enough to have the winning ticket! The big win (\$70) enabled Ken to make some discounted purchases in the auction later. Well done Ken and what an inspiration to us all to make sure to be part of the Daytona Draw in August when a **GOLD COIN** will be in one of the envelopes once again.

Education:

Educational Presenter: **Hamilton Coin Society's (HCS)** editor and one of the founders **Alan Roy** was our speaker for July. Alan spoke about his collection of numismatic literature which spans the 19th, 20th and 21st centuries. Alan considers himself a bibliomaniac which means he has a hard time not accumulating just about anything in printed material that relates to numismatics. He covered catalogues, auction listings, journals and scholarly articles. He provided a display of some of his collection and a PowerPoint presentation of the how and why and what of collecting. Thank you Alan for your presentation which was warmly received by the members of SWCS. Alan invited members to attend the HCS meetings and a reminder that **HCS would be helping with the 2020 ONA Convention in Burlington** next year.



Thank you to **Sean Sinclair** for his display of Mexican Provincial Pesos.

Coming to SWCS in Rockwood!: Your educational presentations scheduled are:

- ⇒ September—**Grading Canadian Coins—George V Series 1911-1936:** Mike Johnston, 1st VP of ONA and member of many SW ON Clubs. Members can bring coins from this era as we might have our own members cross-grade them from the brief learning on grading.
- ⇒ **October: LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEER PRESENTER**
- ⇒ November—**War Memoir: Dave Mowat** (once again there will be a connection to his family)
- ⇒ December—**Christmas (or New Year Theme): Scott Douglas PLUS Food Bank presentation**

Dealers at Meeting: Big thanks to **Ernie and Linda Blair**, and **Andrew and Gary Fedora** for setting up as dealers at our meeting.

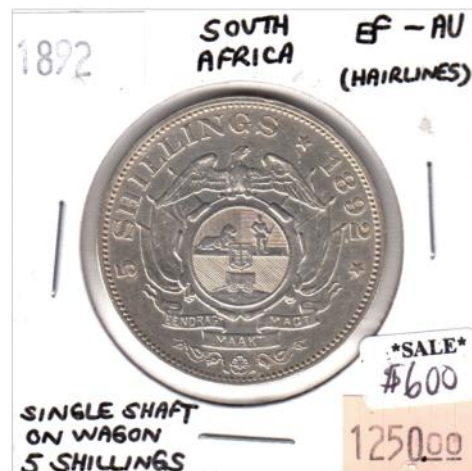
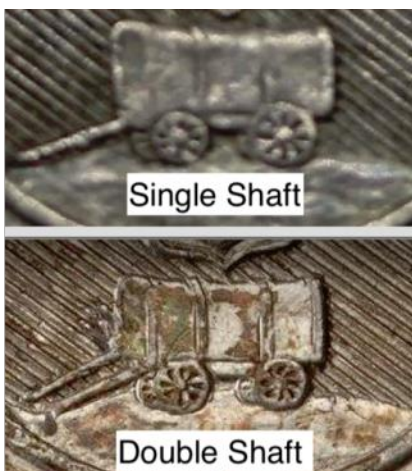
Thank you for your Volunteerism:

Thank you to **Linda Blair** for the amazing selection of cookies, pop and coffee. Also to **Judy Blackman** for donating boxes of Planters Peanuts and Marshmallow Squares. All was a big hit!

Thank you to all members and guests who helped with draws, and the set up and tear down for the meeting. **Many hands makes for light work!**

Monthly Auction: Much appreciation of the efforts of our auction coordinator **Lowell Wierstra**, our auctioneer **Mike Hollingshead**, and our runner **Peter Becker**. Lowell welcomes your consignments, and remember we keep our consignment fees very low, if not the lowest in Ontario. The SWCS commission charged to consignors: Sold for under \$20, auction fee is 25 cents and items sold for over \$20 fee is \$1. Pretty simple. No buyers premium, no sales tax. We are now accepting consignments for our December 2019 and March 2020 auctions. Kindly submit your completed consignment form with the items you are consigning.

South Africa 1892 Large Sterling Silver 5 Shilling (Crown)



Did you ever had a feeling that you may have sold a very valuable coin for next to nothing? Your Editor feels she may have sold ZUID AFRIKAANSCH REPUBLIEK (South Africa) 1800s coins (EF-AU) and is wondering if any of them were 1892, and she messed up! In checking the world markets (expressed in USD), the South Africa 1892 5 Shilling for VF20 Single Shaft is \$240, XF40 is \$875, MS60 is \$2,800 and MS63 is \$5,600; but the Double Shaft is even higher at these grades.

In viewing the *ebulletin* of Unique Deals that Colonial Acres Coins sends subscribers every Sunday, the July 7, 2019 included a South Africa 1892 Single Shaft on Wagon 5 shilling EF-Au (EF-45) hairlines originally priced at \$1,250 but on sale for \$600 (and to Unique Deal subscribers for \$541.50). These 1892 Crowns are .925 silver, have a diameter of 39 mm, and weigh 28.18 g. **Obverse:** Bearded bust of Paul Kruger as President of the South African Republic left. Legend: ZUID AFRIKAANSCH REPUBLIEK. **Reverse:** Eagle perched on round coat-of-arms within foliage, six flags in background, inscribed banner and rose below. Banner Inscription: EENDRAGT MAAKT MAAKT ("Unity makes strength!") Comment: *Single shaft on wagon tongue.* Legend: 5 SHILLINGS * 1892 *.

On 17 January 1852 the United Kingdom, ruler of the Cape Colony, approved the independence of the South African Republic in the Sand River Convention. "Eendragt maakt magt" was the motto on the new state's shield and in 1888 it decided it should only use Dutch as its official language. The **South African Republic** (Dutch: *Zuid-Afrikaansche Republiek*, or ZAR), often informally known as the **Transvaal Republic**, was an independent Boer-ruled country in Southern Africa during the second half of the 19th century. Not to be confused with the present-day Republic of South Africa, it occupied the area later known as the South African province of Transvaal. The ZAR was established in 1852, and was independent from 1856 to 1877, then again from 1881 to 1900 after the First Boer War, in which the Boers regained their independence from the British Empire.

In 1900 the ZAR was annexed by the United Kingdom during the Second Boer War although the official surrender of the territory only took place at the end of the war, on 31 May 1902. In 1910 it became the Transvaal Province of the Union of South Africa. The first president of the South African Republic was Marthinus Wessel Pretorius, elected in 1857, son of the famous Voortrekker leader Andries Pretorius, who commanded the Boers to Victory at the Battle of Blood River. The capital was established at Pretoria (founded 1855), though for a brief period Potchefstroom served as the seat of government. The parliament, the Volksraad, had 24 members.



The 'Dirkie Uys' Wagon is believed to be over 180 years old and is presently on display at the First Raadsaal Museum in Bloemfontein, South Africa. **Voortrekker**, Afrikaans: **Pioneer, Leading Migrant**, or "those who go ahead", any of the Boers (Dutch settlers or their descendants), or, as they came to be called in the 20th century, Afrikaners, who left the British Cape Colony in Southern Africa after 1834 and migrated into the interior Highveld north of the Orange River.



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This Single Shaft specimen was lot 20704 in Ponterio sale 161 (Chicago, August 2011), where it sold for \$6,095 (USD). The catalog description^[1] noted,

"SOUTH AFRICA. 5 Shillings, 1892. High Grade "Single Shaft" South Africa 5 Shillings. 'Single Shaft' wagon. There are two major varieties for the 1892 5 Shillings, "Single Shaft" and "Double Shaft". Both were designed by Otto Schultz and tell a very interesting story. With presidential elections closely approaching, President Kruger desperately wanted to release new coinage into circulation as soon as possible; however, at this time the Pretoria mint was still under construction. Kruger not wanting to wait contracted with the Royal Prussian Mint in Berlin to produce the first series of coinage. This proved to be a mistake that nearly cost Kruger the election.

The German die engravers were unfamiliar with the style of wagon used in South Africa and engraved them in the style of a European wagon. Although the design was well executed, the wagon was depicted with two shafts and two equally sized wheels. This differed from the normal 'single shaft' wagon or 'Voortrekker wagon' used in South Africa which typically was depicted with a much larger wheel in the back. Although this seems like a very subtle difference, it nearly cost Kruger the presidency. Kruger's political opponents immediately noticed the incorrect depiction of the 'Voortrekker wagon' on the national coat of arms and declared this "an insult", insisting that the engraver Otto Schultz initials 'OS' represented the Dutch word for an Ox. Kruger took full ownership for this error and quickly had the appropriate design changes made. Lightly toned with very original surfaces. PCGS MS-63." *Recorded mintage: 14,000 single shaft plus 4,327 double shaft. Specification: 28.27 g, .925 fine silver, .840 troy oz ASW. Catalog reference: KM-8.1; KJ-147 (single shaft).*

South Africa, after a turbulent history between English and Dutch settlers and the native population, was constituted the Union of South Africa in 1910. This coin was an issue of the Afrikaner republic before its conquest by the British. With the collapse of apartheid, collecting South African coins is now respectable again.

Source:

- Cuhaj, George S., and Thomas Michael, *Standard Catalog of World Coins, 1901-2000*, 42nd ed., Iola, WI: Krause Publications, 2014.
- Hern, Brian, John Bothma and Hercie Pieterse, *Hern's Handbook on South African Coins & Patterns*, Ferndale, South Africa, 2013.
- ^[1]Ponterio, Rick, et al., *Ponterio sale 161: The Chicago ANA Auction*, Irvine, CA: Stack's-Bowers, LLC, 2011.



Single Shaft: Image courtesy of Heritage Auctions.

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Switzerland Scenic Coins



Switzerland has issued a series of scenic coins in an effort to boost tourism in Switzerland, and also other parts of Europe (as a partnership with those tourist attractions). These coins are obtained when visiting the site on the coin, and in some cases from other outlets too. In some locations, the coins are in vending machines.



Blarney Castle Ireland: Built nearly 6 hundred years ago by one of Ireland's greatest chieftans, Cormac MacCarthy, and has been attracting attention ever since. Millions have flocked to Blarney making it a world landmark and one of Ireland's greatest treasure. Now that might have something to do with the Blarney Stone, the legendary Stone of Eloquence, found at the top of our tower. Kiss it and you'll never again be lost for words. www.blarneycastle.ie



St. Moritz: Alpine metropolis of St. Moritz is one of the most famous holiday resorts in the world. The vibrant town in the Engadin not only boasts ski slopes and grand hotels, but also healing springs, turquoise-blue mountain lakes and luxurious spas. The height of well-being as a treat for all the senses is available here at any time of the year. More information: myswitzerland.com. Available: Souvenir Shop St. Moritz in Hotel Schweizerhof, Via dal Bagn 54, St. Moritz.



Travel on the famous Glacier Express - one of Switzerland's best scenic train rides across the Alps connecting two of the most popular resorts: St. Moritz and Zermatt. The entire journey takes around 7.5 hours and crosses 291 bridges, passes through 91 tunnels and climbs over 2,033 m high Oberalp Pass. More information: myswitzerland.com. Available: Souvenir Shop St. Moritz in Hotel Schweizerhof, Via dal Bagn 54, St. Moritz.



Heidiland - Heidi motif unites the region thematically. There is the Heidi House in Maienfeld and the Heidi Trail on the Pizol, among other interesting sites. The diverse vacation region between Lake Walen and Sarganser Land in Eastern Switzerland gets its name from Johanna Spyri's worlds famous Heidi story. Well-known destinations include the skiing and hiking regions of Flumserberg and Pizol as well as the thermal, wellness and golf oasis of Bad Ragaz. More information: myswitzerland.com.



Albert Einstein lived in Bern 1902 to 1909 and developed his Theory of Relativity there. He rented the flat from 1903 to 1905 and lived with his wife Mileva and son Hans Albert. Available: from the vending machine in front of the Souvenir Shop Prestige at the Kramgasse 47 in Bern. They are not allowed to sell online.



The many faces of Barcelona include the medieval Old Town, and the unique street grid resulting from 19th-century urban planning. The city has long sandy beaches and green parks on the hills, pretty much side-by-side. It is also famous for number of prominent buildings. Architect Antoni Gaudi is featured on this coin. Available: Souvenir Shops at Cayana Native World on PL Sagrada Familia 16 in Barcelona (directly by the Sagrada Familia) and at La Virreina at La Rambla 116 in Barcelona (direct on La Rambla).

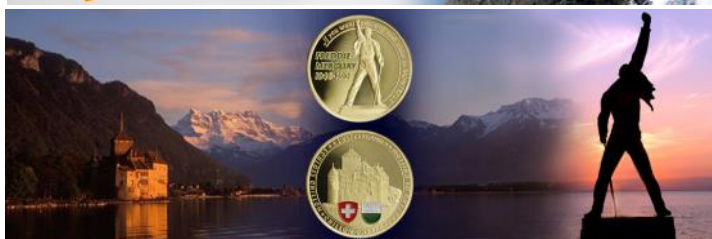
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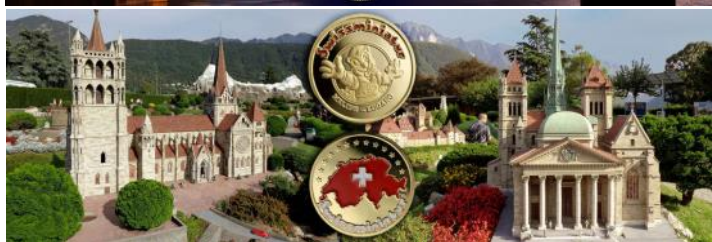
Meet Charlie Chaplin, family man, in the Manoir; embark on a journey through sets of his greatest films at our Hollywood-style Studio; take a peaceful walk in the gardens; and don't forget to round off your visit with a stopover at our shop and get your very own Chaplin Souvenir Coin before heading to our cafe-restaurant, The Tramp. More information here: www.chaplinsworld.com. The Chaplin souvenir coin is only available in Chaplin's World in Vevey.



Eiger (tunnels built 1896+1912), Mönch and Jungfrau with longest glacial flow. Jungfrau cog-wheel railway travels year-round from heart of the mountains to Europe's mountain station (3454 meter). Tunnels lead to palace of ice sculptures, lift to "Sphinx" terrace and Alpine Sensation subway tour. Summer visitors take showshoe hike from eastern glacier plateau to Mönchsloch. More information visit www.myswitzerland.com. Available in Galleria Casagrande Interlaken Ost.



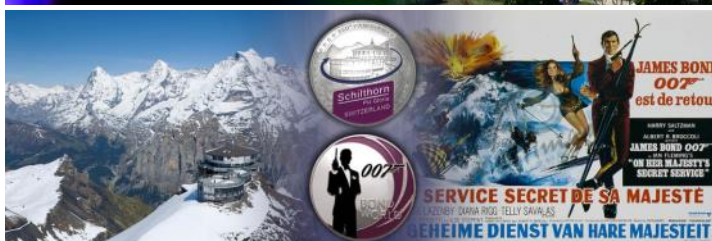
Freddie Mercury (lead, Queen band), settled in Montreux where Queen bought Mountain Recording Studio His last album, Queen - "Made in Heaven" made here. A bronze statue of Freddie Mercury was placed by the waterfront in 1996. Visit Queen - The Studio Experience in Montreux <http://www.mercuryphoenixtrust.com/studioexperience/>. Coin available only at Bazar Suisse store in Montreux (official product of Queen Productions Ltd.).



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James Bond 007 World exhibit near the revolving restaurant and the first 007 WALK OF FAME in the world honour the Bond actor and other performers in the film «On Her Majesty's Secret Service». Since 1967 the gondola has been running from Stechelberg in the Lauterbrunnen valley to the summit in four sections. For more information visit My Switzerland <http://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/007-walk-of-fame-on-the-schilthorn.html>. Available in Souvenir Shops Mürren and Schilthorn.



Geneva "capital of peace" (hilly Alpine terrain of Jura) home of European seat of UNO and headquarters of Red Cross and St. Peter's Cathedral. Home of world famous "Jet d'eau" fountain 140-metre-high water jet at periphery of Lake Geneva, and Horloge Fleuri (flower clock) in "Jardin Anglais" (English Garden). Available in: Fondation Geneve Tourisme & Congres, Rue du Mont-Blanc 18, 1211 Geneva



This is the first Gruyeres coin, see the second on the next page. At the highest point in the medieval town of Gruyeres lies the majestic Castle of Gruyeres. Amidst a glorious panorama, a visit to this castle provides a fascinating insight into 800 years of history, art and legends. For more informations visit MySwitzerland.com chateau-gruyeres.ch. Only available in the souvenir shop of Castle Gruyeres.

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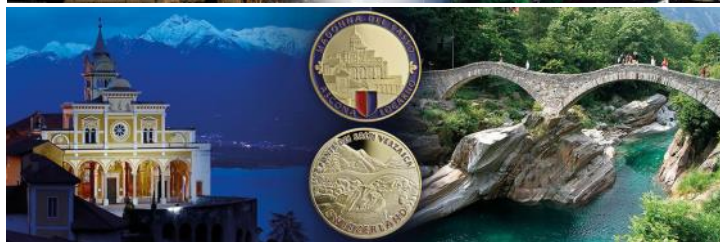
Matterhorn (1st ascent, 1865) is very difficult to climb. The Klein-Matterhorn ("Little Matterhorn"), which can be reached via a funicular, lies adjacent to the Matterhorn. At the foot stands Hörnli Hut at 3,260m, home to fully-renovated Matterhorn Base Camp & Inn (where you get your coin). Visitors board aerial cable car in Zermatt. Wolli is the black nose sheep mascot of Bahnhofstrasse in Zermatt.



This is the other Matterhorn coin "Matterhorn / Helvetia / I love Switzerland".



Zürich lies on northern shores of Lake Zürich. Thanks to its top-quality infrastructure set amidst natural surroundings, it is a popular place for study and research. For example, at Zürich University or the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology Zürich (ETH); built by Gottfried Semper from 1858 to 1864, the ETH Zürich is today associated with 21 Nobel prizewinners. For more information visit <http://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/zurich.html>. Available in 4 souvenir shops in Zürich: Teddy's Souvenir-Shop; Meng Cutlery (both locations); Messer-scharf.



Sanctuary Madonna del Sasso in Orselina above Locarno is the most famous place of pilgrimage in the Italian part of Switzerland, with Franciscan Santuario della Madonna del Sasso church (consecrated in 1487), lush shrine ravine Torrente Ramogno and lake below. Available in: Chiosco Debarcadere Locarno, via Lungolago G.Motta 1, 6600 Locarno.



The Chapel Bridge & Water Tower in Old Town Lucerne (Luzern) lies on river Reuss, at end of Lake Lucerne, framed by impressive mountains. Lucerne is divided into an Old Town and a New Town connected by one of world's oldest covered wooden bridges, the Chapel Bridge, which dates back to the year 1332. Switzerland's oldest Baroque church. Visit <http://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/lucerne.html>. Available in: Casagrande Souvenirs, Kapellgasse 24 + Denkmalstrasse 9, Luzern.



Lucerne: Dying Lion's Monument 1792, Glacier Garden glacier potholes and fossils 20,000 yrs ago, and mirror labyrinth "Alhambra" with its 90 mirrors built 1896. Coins available at Casagrande Souvenir shops at Grendelstrasse 6 and Denkmalstrasse 9. For information visit <http://www.myswitzerland.com/de-ch/altstadt-kapellbruecke-wasserturm.html>



Interlaken between Lake Thun + Lake Brienz is presided by Eiger, Mönch and Jungfrau Alps. Home of Bernese Oberland Railway + Jungfrau Railway - over 45 mountain railways, cable cars, chair lifts and ski lifts lead to 200 km of pistes and dense network of hiking trails. Excursion ships, including historic paddle steamers, ply the waters of Lake Thun + Lake Brienz. For more information visit <http://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/interlaken.html>. Available: vending machine in Royal Gift-Shop, Höhweg 135, Interlaken



800-year old Medieval traffic-free town Gruyères (Greyerz): St. Germain castle (river Saane) and three museums and Buddhist sculptures. The town also has a charm all of its own thanks to its superb gastronomy and its modern show dairy. For more information visit <http://www.myswitzerland.com/en-ch/gruyere-castle.html>. Available in: La Bricole Boutique de Souvenirs, Rue du Bourg 23, CH-1663 Gruyeres

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Basel with over 40 museums, and the Rhine – an inviting spot to rest a while. Numerous historic landmarks and ruins, antique book shops, boutiques, "Läckerli Huus" (try traditional Basel honey cake), symphony, musical theatre, Botanical Gardens, several parks, Etoscha House (Namibian Savannah) at the zoo, mountains, carnivals, and more. Available in: Card Shop Manor Basel Greifengasse 22, 4005 Basel www.manor.ch.



Bern: UNESCO World Heritage Site, 6 km of 'Laubens' sheltered arcades, Rose Garden, Botanical Gardens, Bear Park, Dählhölzli Zoo, 101-m high cathedral tower, River Aare, cabarets, Onion Market (Zibelemärit), vaulted cellars, Zentrum Paul Klee, Albert Einstein House & Museum, and at least 5 other museums, and tour House of Parliament (Bundeshaus). Available in: Prestige, Swiss Knife & Souvenirs, Kramgasse 20, Bern and Zytglogge - Kiosk, Bim Zytglogge 5, Bern.



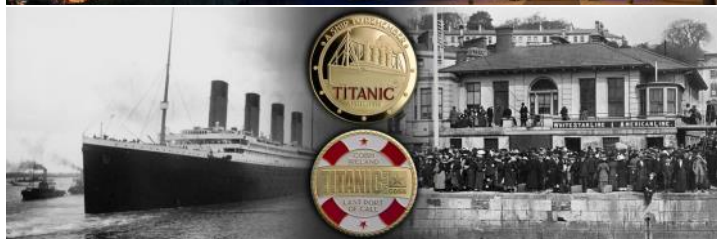
Furka steam railway from Realp over Glacier Express to Oberwald in Canton Valais. Stop at Furka station the highest point of 2160 metres a.s.l. Rhongletscher: glacier at source of Rhone stretched as far as the valley floor by Gletsch and could at times be seen by guests at the Grand Hotel Glacier du Rhône. A visit to the ice grotto by the Hotel Belvédère and the emerging glacial lake is still worthwhile today. Available in: Souvenir shop of Hotel Restaurant Grimselblick www.grimselpass.ch



A tropical landscape with grottos, waterfalls, wave pools and caves - this is the water park in Le Bouveret, the Valaisian town at the delta of the River Rhône. The park is a place where the whole family can have fun in water 365 days a year. "Aquaparc Le Bouveret" on the shores of Lake Geneva offers an area of 15,000 square meters, divided into three different sectors: Jungle-Land, Captain Kids' Land, Paradise Land. For more information visit www.aquaparc.ch. Available: only in souvenir shop Aquaparc le Bouveret.



Available just for the hotel guests Zurich Hilton Airport Hotel www3.hilton.com.



Titanic Experience Cobh is located in Casement Square in the heart of Cobh Town. The original White Star Line Ticket Office, a building steeped in a history dating back to the early 19th century and the departure point for many thousands of White Star line passengers. Cobh Ireland - Last port of call for the 123 passengers who came to the White Star Line Ticket Office on Thursday April 11th 1912. These were the final passengers to join Titanic. For more information visit titanicexperiencecobh.ie.

If you're a numismatist and your mate isn't where would you vacation? Have you considered Switzerland? All across the country are scenic spots to see where a numismatist can acquire a Swiss coin to commemorate the location. There are even coin vending machines at some of the locations. The coins are either 30mm or 40mm, and they are available silver-plated, gold-plate, or hand-enamelled depending on the coin for the particular designated location. Some locations have two varieties designated coins. As well, one of the world's best annual festivals is held in Switzerland and every year the Swiss Mint issues a PNC and a coin set to commemorate Carnival of Basel.



Local Clubs & Numismatic Associations Upcoming Shows & Conventions

*For other shows (out-of-province, out-of-country, dealers, auction houses),
go to Canadian Coin News Events Page, <http://canadiancoinnews.com/events/>*

2019-Aug 11: Paris Coin & Collectables Show at Paris Fairgrounds, 139 Silver St., Paris, ON, N3L 1V4. Hours 9-4. Admission \$4 and includes a draw ticket for a Gold Coin. Hot and cold food and drinks available at the show. Contact **Jared Stapleton** by phone 647-403-7334, email pariscoinshow@gmail.com, website <http://www.pariscoinshow.com>. Official Auctioneer: **Geoffrey Bell Auctions** (auction day Fri. Aug. 10, see website for details).

2019-Aug 18: Classic Coins & Banknotes Collectables Show at the Best Western Plus, 930 Burnham St., Cobourg, ON, K9A 2X9 (just off hwy. 401), hours 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Contact **Paul Harding** by phone 905-375-5712, or email coinmanph@yahoo.com, or at website <http://classiccoinsandbanknotes.com>.

2019-Aug 25: Woodstock Coin Club's 30th Annual Coin Show at the Woodstock Community Centre, 381 Finkle St., Woodstock, ON, N4S 4S2, hours 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission \$2. Free parking, hourly draws, and access to lunch counter. Contact **Rick Johnson** by phone 519-537-3858 or email martjohn@execulink.com.

2019-Sep 7-8 (2 days): **National Postage Stamp & Coin Show** at Hilton Mississauga / Meadowvale Hotel, 6750 Mississauga Rd., Mississauga, ON, L5N 2L3. Hours Sat. 10-5 and Sun 10-4. Admission \$3 on Sat. and FREE on Sun. Free parking. @-Day Live Auction by Colonial Acres Coins; various seminars; Young Collectors table; FREE Kids Auction on Sunday; and over 50 dealers on the bourse. Contact Mike Walsh by phone 1-800-408-0352 or email info@trajan.ca, website <http://www.stampandcoinshow.com>. Presented by *Canadian Coin News* and *Canadian Stamp News*.

2019-Sep 15: London Numismatic Society Coin Show at Ramada Inn, 17 Exeter Rd., London, ON, N6E 1W1. One day show featuring numerous dealers from across Ontario plus exhibits. Contact Ron Confortin, phone 519-636-0862 or email rconfortin@mcfr.ca.

2019-Sep 29: Rotary Club of Brampton Coin & Trading Show hosted by B&W Coins & Tokens and the Rotary Club of Brampton, at Century Gardens Recreation Centre, 340 Vodden Rd. E., Brampton, ON, L6V 1N4. Hours 9-4. Admission \$4 (under 14 free), and free parking. Funds raised for children's charities. Contact **Willard Burton** by phone 905-450-2870, or email willardb@bell.net.



Australia Banknote Serial Numbers

Courtesy of the Reserve Bank of Australia

Rod Sell of the Australia Numismatic Society sent a link to all ANS members to source this information.

Not all denominations of Australian banknotes are produced every year. Instead, they are printed based on demand for new banknotes to replace those no longer fit for circulation. The information below details the serial number ranges for those banknotes printed each year. Obviously the 2019 won't be posted until the year ends. This information does not account for the serial number used on banknotes that are destroyed and therefore not issued.

2018				
SERIAL NUMBER INFORMATION				
Denomination	Prefix	Serial Number Range		Signatures Governor/Secretary to Treasury
\$5	AA 18 – EJ 18	0000001	0622404	Lowe/Fraser
\$50	AA 18 – EA 18	0000001	6494801	Lowe/Fraser
\$50	EB 18 – IB 18	0000001	6050277	Lowe/Fraser

2016				
SERIAL NUMBER INFORMATION				
Denomination	Prefix	Serial Number Range		Signatures Governor/Secretary to Treasury
\$5	AA 16 – EJ 16	0000001	4063626	Stevens/Fraser
\$50	AA 16 – DA 16	999999	322672	Stevens/Fraser

2017				
SERIAL NUMBER INFORMATION				
Denomination	Prefix	Serial Number Range		Signatures Governor/Secretary to Treasury
\$10	AA 17 – EA 17	0000001	5385495	Lowe/Fraser
\$100	AA 17 – CF 17	999999	291497	Lowe/Fraser
\$100	CG 17 – EL 17	999999	292207	Lowe/Fraser
\$100	EM 17 – HE 17	999999	387747	Lowe/Fraser

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Phone: (519) 823-2646

Host Website:

www.southwellingtoncoinsociety.ca

FUTURE Coin Shows (new dates):

In GUELPH same location

⇒ **Sat. Apr. 25, 2020**

⇒ **Sat. Sept. 26, 2020**

⇒ **Sat. Apr. 24, 2021**

⇒ **Sat. Sept. 25, 2021**



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South Wellington Auction August 7th, 2019

Item No.	Ref	Description <i>in the first 20 lots, several have a start bid below BV or FV</i>	Start Bid	Trend	Winning Bid
1	J	Lot of 2 Framed: BC Centennial Dollar Greetings (includes coin); & Autographed Canada 125 artwork	\$1	\$15	
2	J	Binder RCC presents <i>The Jack Shinske Collection of Odd & Curious Money</i> binder with the RCC disk	\$1	\$20	
3	J	Framed 12 Aztec Inlay Bimetallic Medals - National Anthropological Museum in Mexico City in holder [start bid is below BV]	\$50	\$360	
4	J	CNBC Doris Phaneuf Lot of 4 encased in display items: Cdn \$50 note signed by J. Perin, Cdn \$100 note, US \$20 Visa Travellers Cheque, Wildlife \$1 and \$2 stamps [start bid is below FV]	\$140	\$250	
5	J	Kiribati 2000 Proof set: The First Official Coins Of THE NEW MILLENNIUM - \$5, \$10, Sterling Silver \$20	\$20	\$130	
6	J	Exonomia: 2009 3x Properperity Certificate (2 signed); 2014 Henry's Bank; 2014 Emergency Currency	\$1	?	
7	J	Lot of 4 (2 Silver, 2 Bronze) 1960s Oakville Coin Club medals	\$20	\$70	
8	J	2016 Canada \$2 75th Ann. Battle of the Atlantic 5-coin Circulation Pack	\$10	\$15	
9	J	2012 7-coin Circulation Encased Set w/ Sir Isaac Brock 25 Cents, Olympic Loon, War of 1812 Toonie	\$4	\$11	
10	J	Antique Mother of Pearl Delicately Carved Chinese Poker Chip	\$1	\$25	
11	J	2012 Canada 50 Cent - The Queen's Diamond Jubilee (1952-2012) - Royal Cypher Silver Plated Coloured SP Coin	\$3	\$20	
12	J	2009 Canada 50-Cent Six String Nation Guitar Triangle SP Coin (75% copper, 25% nickel)	\$5	\$36	
13	J	Lot of 196 (193 CDN, 3 USA) Nickels FV \$9.80 (148 - better grades 2000-2016, 48 - lesser grades 1950-1999) in red storage box (have not checked for any varieties or errors) [start bid is below FV]	\$8	?	
14	J	2003 Sterling Silver Five Pounds God Save The Queen Coronation Jubilee	\$20	\$80	
15	J	1921 Saxony UNC Porcelain 2 Mark	\$3	\$20	
16	J	Treasure Box: 3x 1997 Bri! Unc Cent; 1977 Jubilee Crown; 1897 Sanderson Pearcy Toronto-Four Generations Medallion; 3 other tokens [start bid below FV]	\$1	\$27	
17	J	RAM 1986 State Series \$10 UNC Sterling Silver Coin - South Australian Jubilee 150 [start bid below FV]	\$5	\$25	
18	J	1949 Turkey 25 Kuros Crescent & Star; 1964 Egypt .720 Silver 25 Pastres Diversion of the Nile (KM406)	\$3	\$28	
19	J	1970 Rep. Guinea Ecuatorial Fine Silver 200 Pesetas Guineanas Coin RIMET Mexico (World Cup) (KM18.1)	\$20	\$130	
20	J	Lot of 3: St Eligius Patron of Numismatists Medals (2015 Copper PL, 2016 HA Copper & HA Bronze)	\$9	\$75	
21	L	Canada roll used nickels from 1929,30,31,32,and 39	\$2.25	?	
22	L	Canada roll of used nickels from 1948,47,37,38,and 39	\$2.25	?	
23	L	Canada roll of 50 pennies	\$1	?	
24	L	Vancouver 2010 Visa Gift Card Collection limited edition	\$10	?	
25	L	Canada 2x 1910 Half dollars 1910 EW LVS & VKY LVS	\$30	?	
26	L	Cuba 1915 peso high relief	\$30	?	
27	L	U.S.A. 24 error coins nearly all denominations	\$24	?	
28	L	Canada 1973 unc. Dollar bills 5 in sequence & two others	\$10	?	
29	L	Canada 4 Governor General medallion 48.6 gr. Silver	\$30	\$50	
30	L	Venezuela seven unc. Bills 100 to 20000 bolivares	\$14	?	